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Examiner: Soon D. Hyun

Application of: I-Sing Roger Niu et al.

Docket: P4509C1

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Title: Method and Apparatus for Improving Data Transmission in Router  
Fabric Cards through Pseudo-Synchronous Data Switching

Commissioner for Patents

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Dear Sir,

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND  
UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136

Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of one month(s) to respond to the office letter mailed in the above-referenced case on 09/14/2007, for which a three-month shortened statutory period was set to expire on 12/14/2007. This requested extension extends the time for response to 01/14/2008.

☒ The petitioner is an established small entity.☒ Authorization is given to deduct \$60.00 from deposit account 50-0534 for the extension fee.Respectfully Submitted,  
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